

Initiative Name:**Prescription for Michigan—Healthier Lives****Initiative Description:**

Surgeon General Wisdom has led our initiatives over the past year to compare Michigan's health status to that of the rest of the nation. During the coming year, she will issue this report -- Michigan 2010 -- and share it with the people of Michigan. To address a priority subset of these issues, she will issue a Prescription for Michigan's health, identifying key initiatives for which she will provide leadership in the year ahead. These activities will include: participation in the continued strategic thinking about opportunities in the next 1-3 years; and leadership in the following areas: obesity and physical inactivity; smoking, especially teen smoking; lead poisoning of children; prevention of unintended pregnancy; infant mortality; and reduction of African-American disparities in health status.

Expected Outcomes:Administration Goals Attained:

- Get a State Surgeon General
- Restore Public Health
- Address Lead Poisoning

Other Benefits and Outcomes:

- Address disparities
- Return to science
- Strengthen Local Public Health

Progress to date:

Michigan 2010 has been completed, printed, and posted on the Web to a Power Point for Surgeon General use.

Surgeon General completed the Surgeon Generals Prescription, for Michigan's health, identifying key initiatives for which she will provide leadership in the year ahead.

Michigan Steps Up a program to address obesity and physical inactivity was kicked off June 29, 2004.